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Toronto CMOS Centre Luncheon Seminar

A Walk on the Wild Side of Weather

Dr. David Sills

Environment and Climate Change Canada



Some of our most vivid memories can be related to severe thunderstorms that we have experienced at some time in our lives. Forces of nature such as tornadoes, lightning and flash floods have the ability to capture our imaginations despite (or perhaps because of) the dangers they pose. Dr. David Sills has been studying - and experiencing - severe summer storms for more than 20 years and is one of only a handful of people that have seen tornadoes in three different countries (Canada, the United States and Australia). A long-time photographer and musician, stormy weather has had an impact on his artistic endeavours as well.

Dr. Sills will take us on a whirlwind tour of Mother Nature's most dangerous weather, explaining in easy-to-understand terms (with awe-inspiring images) how summer severe weather develops, what impacts it can have, and how best to protect yourself. He will also discuss how severe weather might be changing due to climate change.

Date: February 13, 2018

Time: Seminar 12-1 P.M. Luncheon 1-2 P.M.

Location: Department of Physics, McLennan Physical Laboratories
60 St. George St. Toronto, M5S 1A7
Seminar: Room MP134; Luncheon: Room MP110

Please confirm your attendance by Feb 9, 2018, okoren@sympatico.ca

Note: Lunch will be provided free of charge to CMOS members
Non-members pay \$20, please contact secretary Oscar Koren
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